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**SOCIETY**

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**LIFE'S PATHWAY.**  
1 sometimes wander, wander down life's pathway, far, far away;  
Down through the meadows,  
Down past the silver sheeted stream;  
Down through the dark forest where the owls scream,  
Down through life's pathway, a place to dream.  
Where the fresh water from the spring is better than red, red wine,  
Where the meadow it's green grasses wave to and fro,  
A place God has helped to grow.  
Life's pathway, a place to dream—  
It ever lost we can never redeem!  
For we pass through this pathway but once,  
Because when we are gone our lives are replaced by others;  
Therefore wandering through Life's pathway great pleasure we should esteem!

—By Kathryn Thelma Melroy,  
Age 14, Amarillo.

**FALL CONVENTION OF PENWOMEN IS LARGELY ATTENDED.**

The fall convention of the Panhandle Penwomen's Association was held in Amarillo Wednesday and was attended by the largest number of out-of-town penwomen that has marked any convention since the organization of the club some years ago. The convention was a marked success.

The out-of-town delegates on their arrival in the city were received by a committee with Mrs. Maude Wilson as chairman, and were taken into the homes of the various members, where they were entertained.

The opening session was held at ten o'clock Wednesday morning in the assembly room at the Potter County Library, when roll call, which was answered with rare and amusing bits of gossip about well known authors, proved to be one of the most interesting and entertaining features of the program. The morning was devoted to business. New officers for the year were installed and the club gave, a miniature flying pan suggestive of the "Panhandle," that with the club colors of purple and gold was presented to the new president. Mrs. R. B. Masterson Jr., by the outgoing president, Miss Laura V. Hamner, who is retiring after ably serving the club in that capacity for the past two years. Mrs. S. E. Fish, of Amarillo, was re-elected secretary, with the resignation of Mrs. Anna Thomas Harmon. The Panhandle Penpoints, the club leaflet, published every quarter, containing samples of work done by members of the organization, was distributed by Miss Cook chairman of a committee for publication, and following the dispensing of other business, the meeting was adjourned until the afternoon session.

Out of town members present at the morning session were: Mrs. F. H. Hill, Panhandle; Mrs. John L. Cook, Panhandle; Mrs. Silvey, Plainview; Mrs. John Crane, Goodnight; Mrs. Margaret Morgan, Plainview; Mrs. Dixon, Miami; Mrs. B. F. Gubler, Hereford; Mrs. Stanley Lubbock; Mrs. Thomas Claude; Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner, Claude; Mrs. George Saigle, Plainview; Mrs. Robert Dye, Goodnight; Miss Ruby Cook, McLean; Mrs. John Dye, Plainview; Mrs. McMurry, Pampa; Misses Merrick and Victoria Warner, Claude.

The Penwomen reassembled at 2 o'clock in the assembly hall for a very interesting program in which a number of out of town and local members took part. The first number, a very refreshing and delightful talk by Mrs. George Saigle of Plainview on "My Hobby" Scrap Book, in which she gave her reason for keeping a scrap book, which she stated served not only to refresh her memory on happenings of the past, but also served as a great source of information and inspiration, for as the speaker said, one's scrap book does not tell of what the owner is, but of what they aspire to be, was greatly enjoyed. Another interesting and pleasing feature of the afternoon in which points of paramount importance in play writing were stressed was the talk given on "the Construction of the One-Act Play," by Stanley W. Nickerson, director of the Amarillo Dramatic Society. Mr. Nickerson stated that two of the main things to be observed in the construction of a play were brevity, naturalness in characterization. Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner of Claude gave a helpful and instructive talk on "Marketing," a subject of unusual interest to the members, in which many splendid suggestions were offered for marketing their work. Plans for the open program to be held by the Club in January were discussed, and the secretary read the names of the following new members who have been taken into the club since the last meeting in the spring, Mrs. Young, Amarillo; Mrs. McMurry, Pampa; Mrs. Smith, Miami; Mrs. J. Morrison, Amarillo; Mrs. C. E. Griswold, Amarillo; Mrs. Eva Katherine Harris, Amarillo; Mrs. B. F. Hooks, Amarillo; Mrs. Hinckapillar, Pampa; Mrs. Tullis, Amarillo; Mrs. Crane of Goodnight, and Mrs. Robert Dye, of Goodnight. It was also decided that the club membership should be limited to those active in some type of literary work. During the afternoon an estimate of the amount received by the various members through writing during the past two years, was made and a sum of \$255.25 was reported which was very encouraging.

The evening featured a social session at the home of Miss Laura Hamner on 1514 Fillmore Street, when a lovely surprise pantry shower was held in honor of Miss Hamner, in appreciation of her work with the club. The evening was pleasantly spent and dainty refreshments were served.

**STUNTS AMUSE GUESTS AT CLUB TUESDAY**

The guests visiting the Amarillo Country Club with the observance of its day Tuesday, were entertained with an interesting and delightful series of stunts planned by the days hostesses, Mrs. Earl Mayne, Misses Nina Conning and Lee Wolff. A number of contests including a bean bag contest and a bean contest, were featured and prizes were awarded. Mesdames Kerner, Ruth Jones and Whitsett.

**To Fight Again****NORMAL PRESIDENT IS PLEASED WITH RECENT HEARING**

Special to The News

CANYON, Oct. 18.—On his return today from Austin where he presented the budget of the West, Texas State Normal College for the next biennium, President J. A. Hill expressed great satisfaction with the hearing given him by the Board of Control. He feels that the Board is making an earnest and intelligent effort to arrive at an equitable and just distribution of the state's revenues. "To properly allow thirty to thirty-five million dollars among the various institutions and departments of the state government is a tremendous and responsible task," President Hill stated, "as it requires a comprehensive knowledge of the state's business and a discriminating valuation of the services rendered by the various institutions and departments."

**APPROACHING DAVIS-PATTON. WEDDING ANNOUNCED.**

The following excerpt taken from the Oct. 7 issue of the Galveston News, announcing the approaching marriage of Dr. Louis Kellam Patton, son of Mrs. Kate Patton of this city will be of interest to many Amarillo friends:

Mrs. James Jefferson Davis announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Elaine Louise to Dr. Louis Kellam Patton, son of Mrs. Kate Patton of Amarillo, Texas. Owing to a recent bereavement in the family the wedding will be quietly solemnized at the home of the bride's mother, about the middle of November.

Dr. Patton is a graduate of the medical department, University of Texas, class 1921, and has served as intern at the Philadelphia general hospital, Philadelphia, Pa., where the young couple will reside for his remaining term, before going to Amarillo to reside.

Both bride and groom-elect are very popular in social circles.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHOIR NOTES**

It was gratifying to the Conductor E. John Myers last Thursday evening to see many out to choir rehearsal. Some of the members had to find seats outside the Choir railing. Many in the congregation expressed their thanks for the splendid rendition of music at the Sunday services. Every member of the choir is asked to be a committee of one to look out for another member. Some are doing it. Those who are not are asked to get into it, not to put your duty off to anyone else. Everyone is urged to do their bit and the load will be easy. It can be done and the members should have faith enough to know it will be remembered the hour of responsibility 7:30 Thursday night.

The First Baptist Bible class will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Brainer at 3:30 at Abilene street, at 5 o'clock instead of 4:30. The lesson will be a review of the Book of Genesis. Every member is urged to be present and all those who wish to study the Bible are equally welcome to attend.

**NON-SUIT IS TAKEN BY CRAFT IN RAIL CASE**

The plaintiff J. O. Craft in the suit against the Panhandle & Santa Fe Railroad in Federal Court took a non-suit Wednesday after the jury had deliberated on the case about half a day. The case was dismissed at plaintiff's cost. He had asked \$15,000 damages for injuries alleged to have been received when he attempted to board a train at Tampa.

Barrett & Works represented the plaintiff, and Madden, Traube, Ryburn & Lipkin the defendant.

**GEA. N. R. NICHOLS CONDUCTING REVIVAL**

The Rev. N. R. Nichols formerly pastor of the Pentecostal Church, is conducting a series of revival meetings each evening at 7:30 o'clock at 309 Jackson street. Everybody is welcome.

**QUEEN ESTHER CLUB TO MEET**

Queen Esther Club will meet at the home of Mrs. H. M. Hartman, 1600 Harrison Street, this afternoon at 3:30. All regular & full attendance is urged.

**PEASST SIDE COMMUNITY CLUB TO MEET**

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